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Title

A METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR REGISTERING  
DATA FORMATS FOR OBJECTS

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## APPLICATION ELEMENTS

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- Brief Summary of the Invention
- Brief Description of the Drawings (if filed)
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- Claim(s)
- Abstract of the Disclosure

3. ☒ Drawing(s) (35 USC 113) [Total Sheets] **23**4. Oath or Declaration [Total Pages] **2**

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